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HORN SAYS MITTEN TRIES TO USE CLUB FOR HIGHER FARES

Frankford Councilman Denounces Proposal to Abolish 6 1/2-Cent Ticket Rate

Mayor Indicates Fare Rise Is Not Warranted

DETAILS OF MITTEN FARE RISE PLAN

Flat seven-cent fare on all surface and elevated lines, including the Frankford "L," to be operated as a unit of the P. R. T. system. Five-ticket rates at thirty-five cents a trip, replacing the present four tickets for twenty-five cents. All existing exchange ticket and fare transfer points retained. Place completion of Frankford "L" under P. R. T. direction, the cost, however, to be paid by city. It is unofficially estimated the proposed fare increase would net \$200,000,000 annually to the P. R. T. Co.

Thomas E. Mitten is using the Frankford elevated line as a club to raise the carfare throughout the entire city. That declaration was made today by Councilman William R. Horn, of the Frankford district, commenting on the latest plan of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co. to increase the rate of fare. A straight seven-cent fare with five tickets for thirty-five cents—an effect abolition of the present one-quarter ticket rate—is the latest proposition of the company to the car riders of the city. It was made yesterday by Mr. Mitten in a letter to the Mayor as a condition if the company is to operate the Frankford elevated line.

Says Mitten Seeks Delay

Emphatic opposition to the new proposition of the company was expressed by Mr. Mitten. "I will do everything in my power to defeat such a plan," said Mr. Horn. Mr. Mitten wants to run the elevated line on terms everything his own way in the matter.

His latest step is entirely inconsistent with previous action on the question. Of course the fare increase is a cause for indignation when one section is obliged to pay a higher rate of fare in order to maintain another line on which they never ride.

The people of the northeast are tired of the dillydallying tactics and want action.

William Henry, former athlete, mourning loss, attempts suicide. After visiting his wife's grave in Cedar Hill cemetery yesterday, William Henry, fifty-eight years old, of 6877 Jackson street, Tacony, fired two shots from a revolver at the foot of a tree in a park near Longshore street, Staggung 200 feet further, he fired two more shots and dropped unconscious. He was taken to the Frankford hospital.

Henry is said to have been despondent since his wife's death two years ago. He was an amateur bull player and a gambler.

DOVER HOUSE ADJOURNS

All-Night Session Held to Wind Up Delaware Business

Dover, Del., March 26.—After an all-night session with the Delaware Legislature adjourning today, the session was held at 6:30 this morning until Wednesday next when final adjournment will be had after the general appropriation and the State budget bill, a bone of contention which has been pending since the session was called off.

BOY BARES PART IN MURDER

Tells Police He Helped Mother Club Steppather to Death

Grand Rapids, Mich., March 26.—(By A. P.)—A fourteen-year-old boy, according to the police, that he helped his mother club to death his stepfather, Joseph Scully, last Thursday night. According to the confession, he and his brother James, nine years old, placed the body in a toy wagon and carried it to the railroad yards, where they left it. The body was found early today by a switching crew.

EX-PRESIDENT WELL AGAIN

Dr. Grayson Says Mr. Wilson Has Recovered From Indigestion Attack

Washington, March 26.—(By A. P.)—Former President Wilson was described today by his physician, Rear Admiral Cary T. Grayson, as a little weaker as a result of an acute attack of indigestion yesterday.

FOUND WITH THROAT CUT

Norristown, Pa., March 26.—An unidentified man with his throat cut was found in an alley in Norristown this morning. Coroner Neville does not think the wounds could have been self-inflicted.

MR. BLISS, YOU'RE HORRID!

Forecaster Says It Looks Like Rain for Easter

Anything but favorable weather for the annual Easter fashion parades was forecast today by the Weather Bureau. An unexpected storm of marked intensity, with its tail swinging low over southeastern Colorado, caused a revision of preliminary forecasts of fair weather tomorrow. The storm is sweeping east-northeastward and pressure was high today off the Atlantic coast and high and rising rapidly in the northwest.

FIRST STRAW HAT!

Californian Gives Rude Shock to Bellhops and Traffic Police

A "hay hat" jauntily bobbed out of the elevator on the head of a breezy Californian at the Bellevue-Stratford today.

ARRESTED IN GIRL'S DEATH

Man Nabbed After Identification of Body as That of His Sweetheart

Russell Davis, of 1027 Ogden street, a Negro, was arrested in Norris town, following the identification of a body found yesterday afternoon in a field in the Hill, as that of his sweetheart, Mary Beverly, of the same address.

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Howard A. Loeb and Driver Take Young Woman to Abington Hospital

HER CONDITION SERIOUS; ESCORT SLIGHTLY HURT

A young woman was probably fatally injured and her escort hurled over a fence when they were struck at 11.45 o'clock last night on Cedar road, near Abington, by the automobile of Howard A. Loeb, president of the Tradesmen National Bank of this city.

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We Made Him Take It

This gentleman has been out of work for two months. He has a wife and four children, and he's done anything he could to keep the bills paid, even to limericking. Folks fooled him—by phone—once or twice. Also he probably read the slogan, "More Production Will Save the Country." Anyway, he's that cynical he wouldn't answer the telephone. It took a special delivery letter to bring him in.

LIMERICK NO. 81

A grocer with too much home brew Got confused and he said, "Now I knew

That these goods on my shelves Would get mixed with themselves— I've an ocean to ship the whole crew."

Jingles are Ripe. Every Day Buy Sunday a Ripe One Drops Wrapped Up in a Ten-Dollar Check. Opposite the Funny Page

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Mrs. Dugan would like to go to Philadelphia for the trial, but does not expect to do so. The sister is not in financial circumstances to make it easy for her to travel the long distance to Philadelphia.

"But if he will be in spirit," she said, "I have a feeling that he will be released when the judge and jury learn the circumstances of the case."

FRESH COMMUNIST FORCES GO TO AID OF SAXON RIOTERS

Armed Workmen Join Beaten Radicals for Attempt to Recapture Eisleben

22 KILLED IN FIGHTING; MUNICH AGITATION GROWS

By the Associated Press

Halle, Saxony, March 26.—Re-enforcement of the Communist rioters at Mansfeld and Eisleben was in progress this morning. Armed workmen were moving from Halle and vicinity in the direction of these two towns. Their declared purpose was to join their comrades, notably the party which had driven many hours of fighting had been driven out of Eisleben by the security police.

According to information from both police and Communist sources, the purpose of the movement was the surrounding of the police at Eisleben.

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